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THURSDAY.....MAY 3, 1894.

NEWS AND COMMENTS.

Over 325,000 paid admissions to the San Francisco Mid-winter Fair have been made.

President Hippolyte has astonished Hayti by inviting his long time enemy and political rival, Legitime, to return from exile. It is said the latter will be President in 1897.

The State Board of Medical Examiners will meet in Greensboro May 13th. Applicants for license should present themselves during the morning of the first day. The law requires that they file testimonials of good moral character.

At the State University commencement, Secretary Hoke Smith will deliver the annual oration; Rev. Dr. Murdoch will preach the baccalaureate sermon and Rev. Dr. F. L. Reid will deliver a memorial address on the life of Rev. Dr. Charles F. Deems.

The ninety-second annual commencement of Salem Female academy opens May 25th and closes the 31st. Dr. Thos. Pritchard, of Charlotte, will preach the baccalaureate sermon and Rev. Robt. Strange, of Wilmington, delivers the annual address. Thirty-seven young ladies compose the graduating class.

An automatic apparatus for indicating to passengers in railway cars the name of the next station has been adopted on the underground railway in London. As each station is passed a card bearing the name of the next station drops into place in a glass covered frame and an electric bell rings to call attention to the change.

The recent earthquake in Greece was awful. Many people perished and entire towns were laid in ruins. Those killed were mostly worshippers in churches, Churches, says the Wilmington Messenger, are the most spacious and highest buildings in the smaller towns of Greece as in other countries. Their size made them more susceptible to disturbances of the earth's crust.

Bishop Blyth, the Anglican Bishop of Jerusalem, asserts in his annual report that "about 100,000 Jews have entered Palestine during the last few years, of whom 65,000 have come within the last seven years, and the arrival of a vaster host is imminent." No one can, he says, possibly forecast the extent of Jewish immigration to Palestine within the next seven years.

It is said by the Vance Monument committee, of which Governor Carr is chairman, that it will cost about $10,000 to place the proposed bronze statue in the Capitol square. Contributions are coming in. The appointment of sub-committees in each county and township is urged, each of these to send up to the State committee May 21st a name as a member of the State association.

In a communication to the New York Sun a correspondent says: On the editorial page of the Sun of Saturday last you name eleven ex-Governors who are now Senators, viz: Messrs. Berry, Hawley, Gordon, Cullom, Palmer, Hill, Harris, Bate, Coke, Squire and Jarvis. Why omit Davis (Minn.), Perkins (Cal.) Proctor (Vt.), and Shoup (Idaho), from your list? There are fifteen ex-Governors now in the Senate and three in the House—Gear, (Iowa), McCreary, (Ky.), and Dingley, (Maine). Gear is also a Senator elect.

The "hotel special" which left Jacksonville at 10:35 o'clock Thursday morning on the Florida Central and Peninsular road, arrived in Jersey City at 12:02 Friday noon, making the run of 1,000 miles in twenty-five hours, twenty-seven minutes, and beating all previous records by nearly six hours. The actual running time of the train was twenty-two hours, thirty-eighty minutes, one hour, forty-seven minutes having been lost by stops for water and exchanging engines. The time from Jacksonville to Washington was three hours less than the fast mail schedule.

It has been decided that May 22nd shall be the date of laying the corner-stone of the Confederate monument, this change of date, says the Raleigh correspondent of the Wilmington Messenger, from Monday to Tuesday being made for the convenience of the people of the State, and to permit the railways to handle the crowds better. Governor Carr, as chairman of the committee on ceremonies, will invite the State to be present. All civic and benevolent organizations are also invited to attend, and it is the hope of the committee that all these will have representatives here.

The Wilkesboro Chronicle refers to Senator Vance in the following beautiful words: And like the sentinels that stood guard at the gates of Pompeii during that terrible destruction from the eruption of Vesuvius, and were afterwards found dead, but still standing at the post of duty, death found him at his post of duty where his people had placed him, still "in harness," still battling for the land he loved, amid the convulsions of a poiical Vesuvius, and the encroachments upon the rights of the people whom he represented. One of the grandest characters of America is gone. As calm and gentle and kind and peaceful as the summer breeze which bathes and kisses the summits about "Gombroon," and as rigidly, ruggedly true and honest as the ragged rocks about his mountain home, there is no tribute or eulogium formed into language that could be too flattering to his memory.

Last Thursday Senator Ransom notified the presiding officer that Mr. Jarvis, appointed by the Governor of North Carolina to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Vance and whose credentials had been presented a few days ago, was present and ready to take the oath. The Vice President thereupon requested the appointed Senator to advance and take the oath, and the new Senator, escorted by Senator Ransom, went to the secretary's desk, and had the oath administered to him. In taking it he held up his left hand, his right arm being disabled. He was afterwards introduced by Senator Ransom to many of his Democratic associates. A Washington correspondent says, he is a tall, courtly, dignified looking gentleman of about 65 years of age. His hair, whiskers and moustache are white, with a strip of baldness running along the centre of his head. He was faultlessly attired in black broadcloth.

SINCE OUR LAST ISSUE.

Latest News from all Parts of the World, Prepared Especially for the Readers of "The Observer."

The Wilson Lumber company has filed complaint with the Railway Commission of over charges by the Chester and Lenoir railway. ——The Wilmington and Weldon railroad will pay the damages claimed by Mr. Howard, of Tarboro, in his claim before the Railway Commission. The commission will also look into the complaints of bad connections at Cary. ——At the next commencement of Salem Female Academy Rev. Dr. Thomas Pritchard will deliver the baccalaureate sermon and Rev. Robert Strange the annual address. ——The report of the commander of the San Francisco as to the condition of affairs on the Nicaraguan coast has been received in Washington. He says no additional vessels are needed there. ——The bill for a national park at Florence, S. C., has been indefinitely postponed in the House. ——The wigwam at Birmingham, Ala., was crowded Thursday, the last day. Gen. Underwood reported $1,827 raised for the Chicago cemetery monument. A one-legged Confederate soldier stated that his life had been saved on a battlefield by a Federal soldier there present, and the soldier was conducted to the platform. The Federal was Maj. Milsted. Gen. Cobell reported the total fund raised for the Davis monument at $12,333. Gen. Miller, of the Federal army, was introduced, who made a speech complimentary to Gen. Gordon for saving the life of Gen. Barlow at Gettysburg and presented him with a cane cut from Barlow Hill, Gettysburg. Gen. Gordon replied in most eloquent words. Col. W. L. DeRosset, of Wilmington, was the member from North Carolina. ——The Prohibitionists of South Carolina are now taking a hand in the liquor fight. ——At the Confederate's reunion a resolution to send a committee with friendly greetings to the Grand Army of the Republic was discussed on both sides, Col. W. H. S. Burgwyn, of this State, warmly advocating it. It was adopted, as was one urging the Grand Army to accept Atlanta's invitation to hold the encampment of 1895 there. The officers for the ensuing year were elected, Gen. Gordon being re-elected commander-in-chief —— At Forsythe, Mont., Col. Page with 250 Federal troops captured 331 of the Batte contingent of the Commonwealers. About 100 escaped. The men made no resistance. —— The President has nominated to be postmasters in South Carolina: C. J. Shannon at Camden and L. S. Norris at Aiken. ——The National Line steamship Helvetia, Capt. Frolicher, has been abandoned in a sinking condition off Cape Finsterre, Spain, and her crew and passengers landed at Gibraltar. ——A number of shopkeepers in various parts of England have lately been heavily fined for marking and selling American beef and bacon as English products. ——A band of a dozen desperadoes stopped in a ravine near Wharton, Okla., and two members went into the town and raided a saloon. A Sheriff's posse gave chase and killed one and wounded and captured the other, then returned for reinforcements and gave chase to the whole gang. Harding, the dead man, was one of the most notorious desperadoes in the Southwest. —— A judge in a Sioux City, Iowa, court, vindicated the dignity of the court by coming down from the bench and mauling a lawyer who insinuated that the court lied. He then remounted the bench, fined himself $10, and to save the trouble of collecting it promptly remitted the fine. ——Spanish doctors have been sent to the frontier of Portugal in order to superintend the fumigation of travellers and their baggage coming from Lisbon. In addition the Government has sent a doctor to Lisbon with instructions to report upon the cholera epidemic there. ——When natural gas burned the house of George Hibbard at Wheeling, W. Va., his sister-in-law, Miss Jane Redman refused to leave in her night clothes, and before she could dress herself she was suffocated. The rest of the family fled in their night garments, and even then Hibbard's son was seriously burned. ——Frank Hatton one of the proprietors and editors of the Washington Post, of Washington, D. C., and Postmaster-General under President Arthur, was stricken with paralysis last week while at work at his desk. The paralysis is not total, as was at first feared, but it is confined to the right side. Mr. Hatton appears to be wholly conscious of what happens about him, but is scarcely able to articulate. Though the physicians hold out hope, they still consider his condition critical. ——A Times-Democrat special from Jackson, Miss., says: One hundred and fifty convicts saw two of their number, Henry Singleton and Horace Smith, hanged in the penitentiary enclosure. They were baptized and admitted to the Catholic Church. Singleton appeared stoical, and fixed his eyes in the blue sky above, never moving them. Smith had a half-jeering laugh on his countenance. Just before the trap was sprung, under instructions from Father Duto, they repeated Christ's last words on the cross "Into thy hands, Oh, Lord, I commend my spirit." They made no statement from the gallows. ——Thomas E. Yarboro, colored, democrat, committed suicide in Washington. He was editor of the Southern Appeal published in Atlanta. ——The Confederate Veteran association decided to drop the matter of raising a pension for Mrs. Jefferson Davis, because she has chosen not to live in the South. ——The number of mine strikers and others made idle by the strike amounts to 200,000. Bradstreet's says this strike is having a serious effect on trade, causing so many manufactories to close for want of fuel. It reports only two cities in the Central, Western and Northwestern States reporting improvement in trade. In the South the business situation is marked by quiet, even dullness. ——Ben White and Jim Robinson, colored, were hanged at Manasses, Va., for criminal assaults made last January. ——The Agricultural Appropriation bill, just completed carries $2,450,000, being $148,000 less than the amount for the current year and $215,000 above the estimates ——All the Brazilian insurgents detained on Portuguese war ships have escaped. ——The steam yacht Intrepid which has been cruising about the West India and Windward islands has put in at Charleston. She passed Roncad or reef and her captain secured souvenirs of the Kearsarge, among them the brass plate commemorative of the fight with the Alabama. ——The miners' strikes is growing stronger. President McBride says the strikers now number 152,000. In Birmingham the situation is unchanged. Governor Jones has had a consultation with the miners' committee and warns them against lawlessness. He does not fear any disturbance. ——Four more negroes have been lynched in Madison parish, La.

SENATOR JARVIS.

He Defines His Position in Several Interesting Letters.

GREENVILLE, N. C., April 13, '94.

Editor News Observer Chronicle:

You were right in supposing that I had not spoken as I was reported to have done in an alleged interview in the Winston Republican. I have not been in Washington since October 1891 and I have not been interviewed there or elsewhere by any one. I have seen a copy of the paper containing the article and that was the first and only information I have on the subject. It contains some things I would have said and some things I could not reasonably be suspected of saying by friend or foe. This much for the alleged interview.

Now permit me to add one thing more. It is my purpose to try and do my full duty in the coming campaign and when that times comes no man will be left in any doubt as to where I stand on any question affecting the interest of the people. I have always been frank and candid with the people and I have tried, the best I knew how, to serve their best interest. Nothing can induce me to turn aside from what I conceive to be their interest in the coming struggle. My politics begin with the people and ends with them. According to my theory of government they are the sovereigns, and governments are to be administered in their interest, and not in the interest of the few, no matter who may constitute that few. I have always been a Democrat because I believe its principles and teachings were in harmony with the supremacy and sovereignty of the people. It is true my labors in the party have been confined very largely, if not entirely, to State politics and in this our party has made a record of which the best and wisest men of the civilized world might be proud. I undertake to say that no government or party anywhere on the habitable globe can show more done for the people with the means at hand than has been done by the Democratic party in North Carolina since it came into complete control of the State government in 1876. I shall try, in a plain and simple way, to lay the facts before the people, and then reason with them as to the danger they may run in putting the party out of power in North Carolina. I shall appeal to them to keep their State government in the hands of the party that rescued it in the dark days of the party and has given to them a clear, honest, economical, useful administration of their public affairs through all these intervening years. I do not mean by this that I should attempt to ignore or evade any question appertaining to National politics which may come before the people in the approaching campaign. I recognize the fact that there are National questions which must be met and discussed. We cannot keep them out of the canvass even if we desire to do so; and for one I do not propose to try to do it. I shall meet these questions in a spirit of frankness and candor that shall have the respect if not the approval of those who hear me. While I shall not assail the motives or the integrity of those with whom I cannot agree, I shall not hesitate to express my dissent in plain but respectful language. In my opinion the coming canvass is one in which there must be confidence between speaker and people, and if that cannot be obtained, the canvass will be a failure

THOS. J. JARVIS.

Senator Jarvis Writes an Open Letter.

Raleigh News and Observer.

RALEIGH, N. C., April 19.

Capt. S. A. Ashe, Editor:

DEAR SIR:—I desire to avail myself of the courtesy of the press to say a word to the people of North Carolina.

His Excellency, the Governor, has for reasons which seem good to him, appointed me to the position in the United States Senate made vacant by the death of our beloved and lamented Vance. After thoughtful consideration I have concluded to comply with the Governor's wishes and I have accepted the trust. In the discharge of these new duties I shall try to justify his action and to merit the approval of the people without regard to locality or county, and in my best endavors to serve them, the noble example of our dead Senator shall be an inspiration to me.

I am not unmindful of the fact that for many years past there has been a custom, amounting to something of an unwritten law in our party, that one of our Senators shall be taken from the Eastern and one from the Western part of the State. Whether this be a wise arrangement or not, I do not propose to be in the way of the people's continuing it if they shall so desire. I have accepted this temporary appointment made by the Governor, under conditions and for reasons which I need not discuss, with a distinct purpose that I will not be a candidate before the legislature for the two-years term. A large number of worthy names have been suggested in the papers in connection with this place, and I wish to say to each and to all of these gentlemen and their friends that so far as I am concerned the field is open to them, and they will not have the disadvantage of having to antagonize a man who is already in office and appealing for an endorsement. Any person who may desire to do so may in his own way and in his own good time announce himself a candidate for this position with the positive assurance that there will be no conflict between him and me. I am not and will not be a candidate for the short term.

I am very truly yours,

THOS. J. JARVIS.

Senator Jarvis to Gov. Carr.

RALEIGH, N. C., April 19.

To His Excellency, Hon. Elias Carr, Governor of North Carolina:

I have just received through the hands of your Private Secretary, Major Telfair, your note of this date, in which you tender me the high and responsible position of United States Senator for the State of North Carolina, and I beg in pursuance of your request to indicate to you my acceptance. This position, so recently made vacant by the death of the lamented Vance, comes to me, as you well know, unsought by me. It is your voluntary act, and I shall give to the high office my best endeavors to justify before the people of the State, to whom alone you are responsible, this action on your part. I beg that you will accept my sincere thanks for this evidence of your confidence and esteem.

Yours very truly,

THOMAS J. JARVIS.

Letter from Gov. Jarvis.

GREENVILLE, April 24, 1894.

Capt. S. A. Ashe, Editor News and Observer Chronicle:

Sir: I beg, before leaving the State to enter upon my duties in Washington, to again trespass upon the courtesy of the press. It is my habit when I have anything to say to the people of North Carolina to say it to them direct.

In my letter declaring it to be my purpose not to be a candidate before the legislature for the place made vacant by the death of Senator Vance, I simply said that if the people desired to keep up the Senatorial divisions, so to speak, I would not be in their way, that I did not intend to be a candidate for the short term. I did not intend to declare war upon any one or to throw down the gage of battle to any one, and I humbly submit there is nothing in the letter to justify such a construction.

It is true I have for months entertained the purpose to become a candidate before the legislature to succed Senator Ransom, and I have not concealed this purpose. I felt that I had a right to do this, and I still think so. It must be remembered that Senator Ransom is now nearing the end of his fourth term. He has been continuously in this high office more than twenty-two years. I did not feel and I do not now feel that I am infringing upon any ones right in becoming a candidate for this position, and I have no idea that the Senator, after his long term of service, will, for a moment, undertake to question the right of any gentleman to succeed him. There certainly is no occasion for any supposition that we are to have any undue excitement or asperity over the matter. I have never been a disturbing element in the Democratic party and I will not be now. I will say in advance that I am willing to leave it to the Democratic voters at a ballot to be taken in the primaries, under such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the State committee, to say whether I shall be a candidate at all or not, and I will abide the result. Or, I am quite as willing for the State convention of our party to determine that question. This is the people's business and I am willing for them to settle it, and in their own way. I will go still further, and say that if at anytime it shall appear that my candidacy will lose to the party a single county I will be ready to retire.

I say this because in my humble judgment it is of the first importance to the people that the State Government shall remain in the hands of the Democratic party. Under the administration of this party the people have had tranquility, peace and all the prosperity that a good State government could give. It is far better, in my opinion, that both Senator Ransom and myself should pass out of public life than that the State government should pass from under the control of the Democratic party. I know it is better that I should never be heard of again than that the Legislature should cease to be in the hands of the Democrats.

I notice with regret that it is insinuated that the Governor has paid off a private obligation with a public trust. This charge was made, I am sure, in ignorance of the facts in the case. I beg to state the facts, and then I believe the unjust insinuation will be withdrawn. The facts are these: Just as soon as the Executive Committee was organized I wrote to its chairman, the Hon. F. M. Simmons, tendering my services to the party and agreeing to be subject to his orders till the election was over. About the 18th or 20th of July I received a telegram from Mr. Simmons asking me to come to Raleigh. I obeyed his summons, and on my arrival there I was told by him that there would be no joint canvass and that I had been selected to travel and speak with our candidate for Governor. I repeated that I was ready to go anywhere he chose to send me. All he had to do was to make and publish the appointments and that I would be there to fill them.

I assisted him, at his request, in making the first appointments, beginning at Whiteville on August 1st, but after that I did not know where I was going, or with whom I was to speak till I saw the appointments published. From the 1st day of August till the day of election I was subject to the control of our chairman, and he could have sent me, as he in fact did so, where he pleased.

I now recall the fact that he required me to make sixteen speeches in one Congressional district. I did it without a murmur. In fact I am sure Mr. Simmons will say I was working under his orders all the time. If these facts be true, then I was in the service of the Democratic party working for its success, and the candidate of the party was the recipient of the benefits of my labors if they were worth anything to any one. It therefore follows that I was not working for Mr. Carr, but for the Democratic candidate for Governor. Then how absurd and unjust it is to him to say that in selecting me to fill a temporary vacancy in a high office, he is paying off a personal obligation with a public trust.

As soon as Congress adjourns I expect to return to the State and commence a canvass to secure a Democratic victory. Let those who are now disposed to criticise wait till the canvass opens, and then if I am faithless to the people in word or deed let me be cast aside. If success comes to us, as I pray it may, it will be after a hard fought battle in which the good of the people must be kept high above the interest of any individual. In addition to a legislature we have many judges and nine members of the lower house of Congress to elect. There is great discontent and division among our people. Our great leader has fallen at a critical period in our history. He was always true to the people and the people were always true to him. His name and opinion may still serve us as magic words to unite and enthuse those who have followed his lead in many a hard fought battle. We must win the legislature, or another party will settle the senatorial question. We must elect our candidates for Congress and judges and legislators, or else the State will be the sufferer. In this crisis let those be chosen as leaders whom the people prefer to follow. In fact, is it not better to let the people choose their own leaders this year?

THOS. J. JARVIS.

All the correspondents who write from Washington, even including of late those matter of fact people who supply the press dispatches, seem to be afflicted with the wearisome habit of referring to the clocks in the two chambers of Congress after this stereotyped fashion, "Just as the hands of the clock dial pointed to 5 o'clock," when they wish to mention the time at which the noble Senator Quay of Pennsylvania, for example, rose to make one of his momentous motions. It is a bad habit. The public have no interest whatever in the Congressional clock dials, and although they may seem to be very important objects to a provincial when he first sits above them, the veterans who usually write such "neat" sense ought to know better. It is sufficient to say "at 5 o'clock."

It is that Italy loses annually $40,000,000 in running the railways.

The Mountains Wept.

Correspondence of Charlotte Observer.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., April 18.—Ashes to ashes; earth to earth; dust to dust. All that is mortal of Zebulon Baird Vance was laid to rest to-day in the beautiful cemetery around which the dirge-singing French Broad sweeps with majestic curve.

Zeb Vance was a mountain boy. His youthful songs had often sounded through his native valleys or reverberated from crag to crag with all the musical mellowness of Swiss boy's yacel on heights where Alpine avalanches have their birth. He knew the hidden paths, and when Elisha Mitchell lost his life, he climbed the hills and searched the gloomy caverns of the Black, leading the Highland clans, until the sullen giant, unwilling, yielded up the body of the dead, beloved preceptor.

And so when the news, "Zeb Vance is dead," flew through the mountain caves, all nature mourned. The sighing pines wailed out the awful tidings, until their winged denizens, the mating birds, ran airily to every hidden height and dell [as Malise sped the Fiery Cross] until in every mountain nook and cranny it was known —"Zeb Vance is dead!" And while the mountain eagle soared up to tell the sun, nature's great rugged, rock-ribbed frame shook with grief, and her sad, bleeding heart, despairing broke.

The encircling mountains, led by Pisgah, as Saul among his fellows, standing as a cordon of eternal sentinels, draped their bare heads in clouds, and formed the God-appointed guard of honor at the grave.

The Swannanoa-Nymph of Beauty, in the mellow Indian tongue—which first leaps from the weeping eye of Mt. Mitchell, dashed down the hills and around the rocks and over the percipies in agony of grief, wailing and weeping and wringing her hands, until, with a despairing sob, she hid herself in the ample bosom of the Tahkecostee—"Racing Waters," whose grief was greater, though more subdued, and who bathed the feet of the grave-crowded hill in the lovely cemetery as the penitent of old washed the feet of Jesus with her tears and wiped them with the hairs of her head!

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At Old Fort a very clever and accommodating engine was waiting. Its sole business was to pull trains over the mountains. It seemed so like Vance—always ready to help a struggling friend up hill.

UP THE MOUNTAIN SIDE.

Words cannot depict the glorious night as in the moonlight the engine puffed up the mountain. On, on; around, around; upward, upward; but the eyes which could most appreciate it were shut forever.

I stood by the side of the casket as the train passed Gombroon. I would love to write the indescribable sensation as I then felt, but fast failing tears obliterate every pencil mark.

All the way across the mountains gleaming lights could be seen in the rude huts—the word had gone out among the fastnesses that "Zeb" was dead, and the Highlanders were watching the passing of the corpse. The cultured and wealthy brought the flowers, but the homespun, calico crowd looked and cried.

On the first night out from Washington Charley Vance was missed. They thought he was in his berth asleep. About dawn they found him sitting by his father's bier. He had been there all night

EARLY MORNING IN ASHEVILLE.

I stood on Battery Park Heights and saw the red sun come up from behind Beaucatcher—they call it Beaumont now. Vance called it Beaucatcher. Not a cloud was in the sky. At the foot of the hill a military company was marching down to the depot to the sound of muffled drums. Suddenly a bell in a near by church spire wailed out in musical grief. Innumerable carriages rattled by, going to the depot where the corpse was waiting to be brought up to the city. The hearse, drawn by four splendid blacks, soon followed. People began to stir. Another bell and another. I looked toward the southwest for Pisgah. He could not be seen. His stately form and all the western range of hills that surround Asheville as the mountains were around about Jerusalem were hid in a white cape of early morning mist. A strong wind sprang up and wailed through the valleys. These things are truth. I have just witnessed them. Who says that Nature does not know that this is Zeb Vance's funeral day?

It is no use to try to describe the funeral procession. It was the mournfulest North Carolina if not this Union ever saw—the saddest veterans, saddest cadets, saddest negroes, saddest school children. It looked as if the decades had skipped and left the sorrows of age upon the little ones. If the burial had been on time it would not have rained, but it was a little late and Nature could not contain herself any longer. She had to weep. It was while the great concourse was around the open grave and the preacher had read the Scripture about the resurrection and the life; the choir of ladies were singing "Jesus, lover of my soul."

On Nebo's lonely mountain, Moses, who led his people out of the house of bondage, out of the land of Egypt, was buried after being vouchsafed a distant view of the land of Canaan. It was all caused by his being impatient and angry with a stubborn and stiff-necked people. In the shadows of the great Black Mountain, not far from the once happy home of Gombroon, in lovely Asheville cemetery, Zebulon Baird Vance lies in a new-made grave. He delivered his people of the Old North State from the bonds of oppression and from the Egypt of reconstruction but he was permitted only to catch a far off glimpse of the Promised Land, where the people are to have a reformed tariff and a popular currency, because his Israel murmured and complained and cried: "Raise up for us a new leader;" and this, too, in the days when the old battle-scarred veteran was grieved in spirit and struggling with disease.

And now in the early afternoon the sun is shining over the western hills with a radiance that might be likened to the disappearance into glory of the arch-angel that attended the funeral as ambassador from the court of Heaven.

Little he'll reck if they'll let him sleep on,
In a grave where Tar Heels have laid him

Vance's Statue Should be Placed in Statuary Hall at Washington.

Correspondence Raleigh News and Observer.

UNIVERSITY OF N. C., April 18.

There is a hall in the Capitol at Washington where Congress has invited each State to place two statues in memory of her greatest sons. Still vacant are the pedestals prepared for North Carolina. The heroes of other States stand waiting for their comrades from North Carolina. Let Vance be placed among them. In the greatest period of our history he has been our greatest leader. He has been through the valley of the shadow of death. His life has been an epitome of what is noblest in our history. His character is an epitome of North Carolina. He has been our greatest public man because he has been our greatest North Carolinian. In him the people have seen themselves. Their enthusiasm for him in his many campaigns was the enthusiasm of affection; and now they follow him at his campaign of death with a sorrow and a longing that tells how deeply they loved him. His statue should be in Statuary Hall in the Capitol at Washington to show the world the sort of man that North Carolina loves and honors, the genuine, typical, North Carolinian.

GEO. T. WINSTON.

The Raleigh correspondent of the Charlotte Observer sends it this startling information: "It is alleged by the newspapers that there is a strong anti-Ransom sentiment among the farmers in all parts of the State."

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Says the Charlotte News:

Receiver John Gill, of the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Railway, arrived here on a special train from Greensboro yesterday forenoon. He was accompanied by Mr. W. H. Blackford, chairman, and Hon. Basil Gordon and Messrs. Frank Redwood and Douglas Gordon, members of the bondholders committee; J. W. Fry, General Manager, H. L. Fry, General Superintendent, and W. E. Kyle, General Freight and Passenger Agent of the road.

After a brief stay in this city, the party boarded the steamer Compton and proceeded to Southport, where they made a careful survey of the surroundings, having in view the location of a coaling station at that point.

It seems about decided that the Company will establish the coaling station; but it is not in contemplation to build a branch railroad to Southport. The loaded coal cars will be transferred from the track at Point Peter to floats and towed to their destination at Southport. Except the outlay for floats, there will be but little expense, comparatively, attached to this plan of transporting the coal from Wilmington, as the Compton, one of the finest boats on the river, will be utilized for towing purposes.

Gen. Gill and the gentlemen representing the bondholders wish it understood that they come here as friends, not only of the bondholders, but of all the people who are interested in the success and prosperity of the road. They know that the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley railroad is a valuable property, and it is their purpose to reorganize it on a basis that will make it profitable to its owners and a benefit to its patrons. The Star is authorized to give these assurances, and it affords it pleasure to do so, especially as the business interests of Wilmington are not to be neglected by the new management, as they emphatically, declare.

In a later issue, the Star says:

Mr. Frank Redwood, of Baltimore, who as one of the representatives of the bondholders of the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Railway, visited Southport in company with Receiver Gill and others recently, said to a representative of the Manufacturer's Record.

"The road could secure a largely increased business if the extension is built. An excellent opportunity is afforded to develop the coal shipping trade. The question of extension has been considered, but nothing can be done at present, though it is expected eventually to construct the road. The company is arranging to ship coal to Southport from Wilmington by barges."

This is confirmatory of the information heretofore given in the Star as to the only new feature now determined on. Doubtless at some future time, a branch line of the road will be constructed to Southport; but the cost of such an extension would probably not be less than $350,000, and the financial condition of the corporation, owing to the business depression, is not such as to justify the expenditure of so large a sum just now, and possibly may not be for several years. Much, of course, depends on the success of the plan to transport coal from Wilmington to Southport in the manner already set forth in the Star.

But there is a good prospect that the hopes of our Southport friends will ultimately be realized. When a general revival of business takes place, and the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley is placed on a paying basis, the owners will probably conclude that the suggested extension or branch to Southport will be a profitable investment.

Tillman's Dispensary Law.

Florence (S. C.) Times.

The decision of the Supreme Court on the dispensary law, is practically an endorsement of Judge Hudson's decision, which was published in the Times when delivered some months ago. It is in effect that the state has no right to engage in commerce to the exclusion or in competition with its citizens. There is a string of decisions as long as your arm on record by the same court on the same issues, and decided in the same way. It is nothing new, it was expected. It was expected from the time the law was framed, and the friends of the act agreed, "if it could stand the test of constitutionality." The effort to enforce the law has cost a half a dozen lives to say nothing of cash and trouble and hard feeling. There can be but one opinion as to the course that should have been pursued before enforcement was attempted and that was to test the law first. Then all of this trouble would have been avoided. Again, the law having been declared unconstitutional by the lower courts, the maintenance of what Mr. McLaurin terms a "standing army" to enforce it, was an outrage, and it was only a mercy of God that the results were not more serious. That this law was a bad one, and that laws of such nature, no matter how beautiful they apparently are, is proven by the fact that when this law was first framed, it was generally pleasing to the people. It promised untold blessings. They did not result despite the fact that law and authority was stretched to the splitting point, and the whole treasury of the state was behind it, to enforce it. Such laws are rotten at the core, and the history of legislation is filled with monuments to just such apparently "good laws." No law can ever become of effect that does not fully recognize the free agency of man and personal liberty

The Atlanta Constitution is correct when it says that such legislation is a century and a half behind civilization. Such laws belong to the despotisms of the old world and the days of the Inquisition.

The Times would be delighted to see a day when whiskey-drinking was no more, and the horrible evil was rooted out of the world, but this must come through the teachings at the mothers knee, the influences of home and woman and strict fidelity to the laws of God, never through legislation in the halls of Congress and our own state legislaturer.

Our only hope for a better condition of things lies in the preachers the Sunday School teachers and the mothers of the country.

"Wild Cat," Indeed!

Senator Morgan used a powerful argument in favor of the repeal of the tax on State banks, when he called attention to the fact, that, when the act was passed, State bank issues were at par, and the United States treasury notes issued to relieve the treasury were at a discount, and the effect was to force State bank issues out of circulation, and raise the value of national treasury notes. The country was then independent of Wall street. This act created Wall street, and it is fair to suppose that its repeal will go far towards breaking up its powerful influence.

Careful weighing, says the Agriculturalist, shows that an ordinary bee, not loaded, weighs the one five-thousandth part of a pound, so that it takes 5,000 bees, not loaded, to make a pound. But the loaded bee, when he comes in fresh from the fields and flowers, loaded with honey or bee bread, weighs nearly three times more—that is to say, he carries nearly twice his own weight. Of loaded bees there are only about 1,800 in the pound. An ordinary hive of bees contains from four to five pounds of bees, or between 20,000 and 25,000 individuals, but some swarms have double this weight and number of bees.

The New Jersey frog cultivators complain that Canadian frogs give the custom officers the slip and are sold in New York. What kind of "protection, says the Wilmington Star, is it anyhow which cannot protect our frog industry? The New Jersey frog men have a right to croak.

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The majority of people die sooner than they should. Evidence of this fact is growing daily. Waring says: "Disease is not a consequence of life; it is due to unnatural conditions of living—neglect, abuse, want." Dr. Stephen Smith, on the same subject, "Man is born to health and long life; disease is unnatural, death, except from old age, is accidental, and both are preventable by human agencies." This is almost invariably true of death resulting from heart disease. Careless over-exertion intemperate use of tea, coffee, tobacco, alcoholic or other stimulants are generally the causes of this difficulty, and indifference to its progress results in sudden death, or long sickness ending in death. By the newspapers it can be seen that many prominent and hundreds of persons in private life die from heart disease every day.

If you have any of the following symptoms: shortness of breath, palpitation, irregular pulse, faint and smothering spells, pain in shoulder, side, or arm, swollen ankles, etc, begin treatment immediately for heart disease. If you delay, the consequences may be serious.

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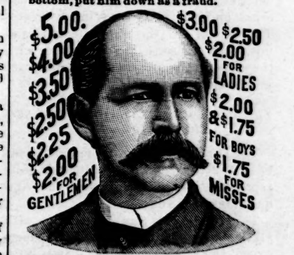

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BREAD AND MEAT POLITICS.

Strange things have been happening at Washington the past year. The coalition of Eastern Democrats and Eastern Republicans, with a few camp followers from the South, is a marked feature of the situation which we have several times sought to explain the cause of. It is the bread and meat nature of the politics to which the fierce struggle of life now degrades us—a struggle that has come to this new world only along with the importation of other old world conditions. There was an ultimate selfishness, resting on ultimate bread and meat, in the sectional struggles before the war, but these were several removes from the concrete and vulgar form in which the struggle of today confronts us. The removal of the South's influence during the war enabled the money greedy East to erect such a plutocracy as never before existed, but the spoils of protection have not satisfied it. So the struggle has come to a head in a very bald form.

Two vital questions now agitate the public mind: How much shall the toiling masses pay for what they consume; What shall be the value of the money with which they pay—or, the question of protection, and the financial question. The first is in a fair way of falling of its own weight, the bait of free raw materials being the thin edge of the wedge that is dividing the beneficiaries of protection, because the raw material of one is the finished product of another. Therefore the battle rages fiercest about the second, which is destined to be the real issue in the impending campaign. Ultimately the people will win—it is only a question of time—and when they do, (1) silver will be accorded equal privileges with gold; (2) the unconstitutional restriction of State banks of issue by the Federal government will be swept away; and then, after awhile, (3) the unconstitutional power to make money out of paper will be abandoned. But Nos. 1 and 2 will be the issue in the coming campaign.

The income tax is also an important feature of the present struggle between the sections; but, however important at the moment, it is a detail of taxation under the constitutional grant which has arisen under the pressure of circumstances. The others are the fundamentals, and until they are settled in accordance with the Constitution, there will be no peace on the financial question.

THE EASTERN PRESS AIDING THE SECTIONAL MOVEMENT.

The Democratic press of the East seems to be in sympathy with the attitude of its representatives in Congress on the vital questions of the day.

The New York Sun, in common with all the "metropolitan" Democratic papers except the World, continues its war upon the income tax feature of the tariff bill. It would read out of the party all who do not follow Senator Hill in his arraignment of the Wilson bill, and quotes a number of the leading Eastern Democratic journals in support of its position, in this sensational way:

[From the New York Sun.]

THE DEMOCRATIC COLOR BEARERS.

The Issue of Democracy vs. Populism Squarely Met—No Compromise Possible—Democrats Who Refuse to Sanction the Party's Surrender to Populism.

From the Brooklyn Eagle.

The Eagle would rather have the McKinley law without an income tax than the Wilson bill with one.

From the Rochester Union and Advertiser.

As between the Tariff bill as it now stands in the Senate with the income tax for the creation of a $30,000,000 surplus attached, and the McKinley law, the people prefer the latter. Rather no tariff act by this Congress at all than a tariff act with an income tax foisted upon it.

From the Binghamton Leader.

Every Northern and Eastern Senator and Representative should take a firm stand against the encroachments of the income taxers, and, if necessary, even place the defeat of the Tariff bill between their constituents and the danger that menaces them.

From the New Haven Evening Post.

The income tax proposition is of Populist origin. It is absolutely opposed to every principle of Democracy. It is a compromise with the devil, and a party that has as little fertility of resource as not to avoid leaning upon so mischievous a reed, had better, for its own salvation, avoid altogether any attempt to remedy the tariff legislation already upon the statute books. More important even than the repeal of the odious McKinley law is the breaking off of all intercourse between the Democracy and the Populists.

From the Hartford Times.

A dispatch from Washington carries the inference that, notwithstanding all the alleged leanings of Secretary Gresham toward the Populists and their measures, the President will veto the Income Tax bill, if it reaches him in its present shape. It would be in harmony with the President's firm and discerning course were he to veto the income tax, if the bill reaches him in its present shape.

If we relied upon the newspapers as true exponents of public opinion, we would be compelled to conclude that New York and the East were lost to the Democracy forever. But we have recently seen an astounding perversion of their representative capacity in the press of our own State. It is only necessary to recall the tirades which inside the twelvemonth a common hand seems to have put in motion against Vance, in contrast with the more recent unprecedented demonstrations in his honor by the people.

While, too, the cleavage between the East, on the one hand, and the South and West, on the other, (as more particularly referred to in the preceding article), is distinct enough in Congress on these questions, careful observers say that the masses of the East—now misrepresented at Washington as the South has been by some of its servants—will eventually make common cause (because they have a common interest) with those of the other sections. Perhaps, after all, the New York World, with its half million subscribers, really represents the Eastern people better than the plutocratic press with which it is environed. If so, the Democratic party may again achieve victory by a union of its followers in all the sections, *when it has expelled the traitors who have gained control of its machinery.*

CURRENT COMMENT.

See the New York Veterans' Resolutions on Vance.

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The Reunion of the United Confederate Veterans at Birmingham last week was a prodigious success, many thousands being in attendance.

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It was a very proper thing, says the Wilmington Messenger, to do in Senator Jarvis to tender the private secretaryship to Mr. Charles N. Vance, the gifted son of the great Senator whose death all North Carolina is mourning. It was thoughtful and in excellent taste.

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A convention of Southern governors and others in the interest of immigration to the South has been called to meet at Augusta, Ga., on May 30. Plans are being made to make the affair an important gathering, and the co-operation of a number of influential men has been secured.

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Congress, well says the Atlanta Constitution, "needs no instructions from Coxey's army. The American people have formulated their demands in the Chicago platform and they have no further message for their representatives until every pledge of that platform has been redeemed."

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Coxey's much advertised march from the West upon the capitol at Washington proved a miserable fiasco. He had but 600 in his procession, 300 of whom were picked up in Washington. His Sancho Panza, Carl Browne, came into conflict with the police, and got locked up, somewhat dishevelled and bruised. But Coxey himself was unable to secure the coveted martyrdom.

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We stated last week that Mrs. Vance and her son, Mr. Harry Martin, would retain their North Carolina citizenship and live a part of the time in Washington and part at Gombroon. It would be more correct to say a part of the time at Washington, but chiefly at Gombroon and in the State, as they intend to keep close to North Carolina always. The Senator's step son, who loved him so devotedly, and who is the owner of Gombroon, intends to make that beautiful place a monument to the great Vance, who was deeply attached to it—beautifying it in every way and raising a *cairn* there at his favorite view, Gombroon Peak, which looks towards the Craggy under whose shadow he was born.

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An attempt has been made in some quarters to whitewash "the machine," by ascribing a foreign meaning to the expression—as, for example, that it means the machinery of party organization. But, in that sense the State is a machine, the Church, the family, all organizations having a head and obedient members. "The machine" as the word is used in the slang of the day, has been described as "party organization perverted to personal purposes." *That* is its meaning, *that* is the fact, and it is *not* a fact that "the machine" means the normal organization or machinery of party. Stop talking to the marines, brethren. No man so thoroughly believes in the power of organization as Senator Jarvis, but he is the reverse of a machine man, as the word is now understood. If he were a machine man he wouldn't write letters, but would convey his views to the public through his henchmen, so that he might deny them and sacrifice the characterless henchman, if necessary.

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Senator Jarvis is a believer in the people's right to know his opinions on public questions. So, when he has anything to say, he says it out like a man. That is the reverse of the methods of bossism. For example, Croker does not do that way; nor did McKane. He who has truth and right on his side can afford to put it in cold type, and sign his name to it. The man who refrains from doing so on grave occasions, will bear a good deal of watching. Somebody asked a Congressman why he did not speak on a great question, (the unconditional repeal bill, perhaps it was), and received the reply that he didn't like to commit himself. But said his interlocutor, you've got to vote. Yes, he said, but it's a great deal easier to explain away a vote than a speech. Nevertheless, the day is coming when the boss's and the dodger's methods will be obsolete, and the man who speaks out (for that is the trade and business of a public man) and gives a reason for the faith that is in him, will be the only one tolerated by the people.

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The famous St. Charles Hotel of New Orleans was totally destroyed by fire Saturday night, and several persons were killed by jumping from the windows. The loss was between $300,000 and $400,000. It was a striking building in appearance. Its massive and classic partico, with its quadruple row of lofty granite pillars, gave an imposing air to the facade. It looked like a public building, and no stranger would have imagined that it was a hotel. On the drawing room and office flour (twenty-five or thirty feet from the ground) was a large rotunda, while below this, retaining the circular form, was perhaps the most famous bar in America—which is, of course, equivalent to saying the most famous in the world. The reputation of the hotel itself was almost world-wide. Nevertheless, in the magnificent days of the Mississippian South, the decade or two preceding the war, there was another hotel in New Orleans, called the St. Louis, situated in the French Quarter and known only to the elect, where the Creole grandissimes of the sugar plantations and of the "coast" of the Mississippi used to stop [the Dupres and Swayze, Chapel Hill boys, were of that class]—and here was splendor, indeed. Oh, the beauty and the chivalry and the flashing diamonds and gentle-voiced maidens and high bred dames that thronged its corridors in those piping days! Not forgetting the incomparable food—to which an extraordinary personage with powdered and queued wig, black velvet coat and waistcoat, black silk knee breeches and stockings, (for all the world, like the rig required on presentation to the British sovereign) ushered in the guests, flourishing his baton! We believe the old building, which was of massive gray stone, or granite, was used for the State House during the carpet bag saturnalia. Alas, to look upon New Orleans now—that is, upon the part of it that was picturesque and fine in the old days—is as if one were gazing upon the site of Palmyra.

Washington Letter.

From Our Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, April 30, 1894.

The President and his cabinet have scarcely given a thought to the gang now camped in the suburbs of Washington known as Coxey's army before its arrival and since as "Coxey's fizzle." While few of these men are what they represent themselves to be—bona fide workingmen out of employment—they have so far proven themselves to be peaceable and law abiding, thus differing from the so-called "industrial armies" in the northwest, the unlawful acts of which have been the principal subjects under discussion at several cabinet meetings. Some of the governors of States would not have felt flattered if they could have heard some of the comments made at these cabinet meetings upon the manner they have dealt with, or rather, failed to deal with recent mob lawlessness in their states. The President and cabinet are a unit in the determination to maintain the constitutional power of the government with Federal troops wherever it may be necessary.

"Coxey's fizzle," now encamped as a freak show at Brightwood race track, just out side of the city limits, will, unless the programme of Coxey, the chief fabir, be changed, march into the city to-morrow. The gang is not numerous enough to make any trouble, even if they were so disposed. If there were ten times as many of them as there are, there would be no apprehension of trouble in Washington as every precaution has been taken to deal with any infraction of the law. There are about 300 men in the camp and the kind of men they are may be judged from these remarks of one of the thousands who visited the camp yesterday; "If the authorities would issue an order stating that every man in camp would be given a bath, dressed in clean clothes and put to work to-morrow, I would wager ten to one that nine-tenths of them would be gone by morning." He sized them up correctly. At least nine-tenths of them are professional tramps, here only to be fed.

It will be no surprise to many shrewd publishers who have received Col. Seller's "Millions in it" circulars, asking for advertising, to learn that the "Press Claims Co.," of Washington has got into court. Mr. W. R. Hearst, son of the late Senator Hearst, and publisher of the San Francisco Examiner, has asked the court to oust John Wedderburn, manager of the above company and of the "Examiner Bureau of Claims," in which Mr. Hearst was a partner, and to appoint a receiver to close up the business. He says that Wedderburn has injured the reputation of the San Francisco Examiner by the mismanagement of business intrusted to him by confiding subscribers of that paper, and by advertising to give prizes for inventions; that he has without authority created a large indebtedness and signed a note for $8,000 with the firm's name, and that he has refused to refund money to certain clients, subscribers to the St. Paul Pioneer Press and the Omaha Bee, in accordance with contracts made with them.

Secretary Hoke Smith rejoices in the possession of a backbone of the Cleveland brand, as Mr. Spencer, U. S. Pension agent for Indiana, has discovered. Mr. Spencer lately removed one of his clerks and appointed his sister to the vacancy. As soon as the attention of the department was called to the matter—the friends of the discharged clerk made sure that it didn't take long—Mr. Spencer was notified that he must revoke the appointment of his sister, as it was a rule of the department that no pension agent shall appoint a relative to office. Mr. Spencer come to Washington and backed by Senator Voorhees and Turpie and the Representative from his district called on Secretary Smith, but it was useless. The Secretary told them that he did not intend to countenance nepotism in any form; that the democrats had for years been abusing the republicans for being guilty of it, and that he was really surprised at any democrat should desire to follow the practice. Mr. Spencer and his friends saw the point of the argument.

The republican Senators have been badly demoralized since they learned that it was practically settled that democratic opposition to the tariff bill would be overcome by friendly concessions. It destroyed their last hope of defeating tariff reform. Senator Harris, who is in charge of the bill, made some very sensible remarks in reply to taunts from Senator Hale, concerning the proposed concessions. He said: "I undertake to assert, with absolute confidence, that there never was in the history of this government a tariff bill framed by either party, there never will be a tariff bill framed by either party, which has not been and will not be a compromise between the conflicting parties. I shall not hesitate to entertain any proposition, and if it makes a reduction from the McKinley law, however objectionable it might be to my own views, I would seize on it. The crucial question is, shall we continue the infamy of the McKinley law or adopt a new bill which is not entirely agreeable to me or to other Senators?

The agricultural appropriation bill has been reported to the House. It is in line with the rest of the regular appropriation bills in reducing the expenses of the government, carrying $148,000 less than the appropriations for the current fiscal year.

THE VANCE STATUE.

Let Cumberland Form its Association at Once.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
RALEIGH, April 25, '94

At a meeting last night of the Central committee of the Vance Memorial Association, Governor Carr, chairman; present—Messrs. R. H. Battle, Thomas S. Kenan, Walter Clark, C. G. Latta, J. N. Holding and R. S. Tucker. It was moved that a circular letter be prepared, embodying the resolutions adopted at the citizens' meeting of the 24, with the names of the committee appended, and that the circular letter be sent to the Mayors of all towns, to the Sheriffs and Superior Court Clerks in the State, and to leading citizens in every county, and request them to appoint committees in each township for the purpose of forming a county association.

The associations are requested to collect funds as rapidly as possible and transmit them to the chairman or secretary of the Central Committee. Each county association is requested to send up a name to the Central Committee, as a member of the State Association, to meet in Raleigh, May 21st, at 5 p. m., at the Executive office. The committee greatly desires the co-operation of all our citizens in this movement, and the committee themselves have started the same by subscribing liberally.

It is thought that it will require about ten thousand dollars to erect a suitable statue to the great North Carolinian.

The press of the State is requested to give this movement their hearty support.

All persons holding OBSERVER prize coupons will please send them in so we can assort them as we go along.

An Interview with Senator Jarvis.

Washington Post, 27th

Senator Jarvis, when seen at the Ebbitt House last evening, said he was not prepared to say what his attitude toward the administration would be beyond the fact that he favors the Chicago platform most emphatically. He believes in the free coinage of silver, the repeal of the tax on State banks, and the passage of a tariff bill which will relieve the people of the burden of unjust taxation. So far as the administration favors these planks in the platform he will heartily support it, but where the administration shall be antagonistic to these principles, he will as heartily condemn it, he says.

The Senator says he has no personal prejudice toward Mr. Cleveland, and will heartily support him in everything he considers right, yet it will never be charged to him that he is a "cuckoo."

As to politics in North Carolina, the Senator is somewhat reticent. He says the Democratic party is very much tangled in the State, and if the election should come off now, Democratic supremacy would be greatly endangered, but there are hopes that the conditions may improve before the elections in the fall.

"I do not believe that there will be any general coalition between the Populists and Republicans in the State," he said, "but it is probable that they will act together in certain localities. North Carolina has a large number of intelligent and high standing Republicans, probably more Republicans of ability and high social standing than can be found in all the other Southern States put together; the Populists have also some men of eminent respectability, but not so much ability. These men make a formidable enemy when combined—especially in a time of Democratic apathy, but we hope for a brighter day before the ides of November.

"As to Senator Ransom and myself, I prefer to say nothing outside of North Carolina. Neither of us is a candidate except in that State; here we are to do what we can for our people and are close friends in our work."

It was evident from the Senator's conversation that he will favor the adoption of strict business rules in the Senate; he believes in work and not so much talk under the cloak of Senatorial courtesy.

To the Vice-Presidents of the Confederate Monumental Association of North Carolina.

Our work for the past year has been crowned with unprecedented success. So much so that we have accumulated a sufficient sum to deem it expedient to lay the corner stone of our monument by the twenty-second day of May. We request that all persons in the State holding money for the Association, will send in the same before that date, that a report may be made, and we can best determine how to proceed with our work. Our last legislature composed of men whose noble instincts will engrave their names in the hearts of all North Carolinians as typical representatives of Southern manhood, appropriated ten thousand dollars, which is still bearing good interest. From the mountains to the sea-shore the ladies have worked with a zeal, which can only be thoroughly tested when enlisted in behalf of the Southern Cause. Many of the men to whom this monument will be erected, laid down not only their lives, but names, not a link remaining to connect them with the present, and we trust this monument will be as the sacred Labarum which guided the Romans—to show to the world the pride we felt in Southern soldiers.

State papers please copy.

The Southern Veterans in New York Praise Vance.

We are requested to publish the following:

HEADQUARTERS CONFEDERATE VETERAN CAMP OF NEW YORK.

Whereas: We, the Confederate Veteran Camp of New York, representing the veterans and sons of veterans in and near the city of New York, have received with profound sorrow and regret, the sad intelligence of the death of the eminent statesman and noble Confederate veteran, the late Hon. Zebulon B. Vance of North Carolina; and

Whereas: We are desirous of expressing to the public at large, and more especially to the people of the South and of the State of North Carolina, our appreciation of his services to his country, and our reverence and love for his memory, therefore, be it

Resolved: That we, the Confederate Veteran Camp of New York, do hereby testify that the late Hon. Zebulon B. Vance of North Carolina, by his distinguished services in the field in defense of the South, by his no less distinguished services to his State and to the Nation during his long and honorable civic career, by his unselfish, unfailing and heroic devotion to the interests of his people, by his zeal in the promotion of the material, social and moral welfare of the South, and by his pure and honorable life, has won the respect, the admiration and the love of every true Southerner.

Resolved: That in his death the South and the Nation alike have sustained the loss of a gallant soldier, an able and upright statesman, a true patriot and a noble man,—a loss both profound and irreparable.

Resolved: That we hereby tender our earnest and sincere sympathy and condolence to his bereaved and sorrowing family; —and finally be it

Resolved: That an engrossed copy of these resolutions be forwarded to his widow and children and submitted to the Press of North Carolina for publication.

A. G. DICKSON,
W. S. KEILEY,
GEO. GORDON BATTLE,
SEYMOUR H. RANSOM,
Committee.

98 Fifth Avenue, New York City, April 24, '94.

Let the Party Discipline its Rebellious Servants.

Clinton Democrat.

The time has come when the government should lay hands upon its foster children and chastise those which are not submissive to parental authority. If national banks no longer serve the purpose of the government, but on the contrary, make the government serve their purpose, then the time for their abolition has come. The system has then ceased to be a benefit and a convenience, and has become a blight and a curse. Indirectly it lays its withering hand upon the homes of the people and the people could not then be blamed for refusing submission to the most despicable of tyrants, mammon, and the most objectionable of all governments, a plutocracy.

Shipping North Carolina Pine to Europe.

Manufacturers' Record.

The increased favor with which North Carolina kiln-dried yellow pine is looked upon in the European market has a marked evidence in the weekly shipments by the various lines of steamers leaving Baltimore. A very significant and important order was recently closed by the agent of the Tunis Lumber Co., of this city, resident at Hamburg, with the German government for lumber for pontoon bridges. The first shipment on the contract was made this week by the North German Lloyd steamship Gera. The dimensions required by the government for this purpose are mostly 1¼x12x14 plank, and the present shipment consisted mainly of this dimension. Other shipments on contract will follow until the order is completed.

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Affairs of the Late People's Bank.

We learn from the Wilmington papers that judgments were given in suits brought by Gen. LeDuc, receiver of the People's National Bank of Fayetteville, against stockholders in said bank, with interest from June 15th, 1893, as follows: H. W. McNatt, for $500; Mrs. Jessie B. McNatt and her husband, H. W. McNatt, for $1,000; John G. McNatt, administrator of Caroline MaNatt, for $1,850; John McArtan, administrator of Mrs. C. A. McArtan, for $1,150; Sarah McCormick and her husband, John McCormick; for $1,350; Sam'l W. Skinner and wife, for $125; Preston Cumming, administrator of Virginia L. Cumming, deceased, for $325; Elizabeth McRae Lilly and her husband, E. J. Lilly, $350; C. L. Campbell, for $50; Elijah Moore, $3,050; W. S. Kingsbury (judgment according to compromise, plaintiff to pay costs); F. W. Thornton (continued by consent;) A. Overbaugh, for $500; J. H. Lee & Son, for $3,700; Leigh Bonsal, executor of Stephen Bonsal, for $1,000; F. R. Rose, administrator of Alice L. Rose, continued by consent; D. Kyle Gibboney, executor of estate of James Kyle, for $5,000; Amelia Gainey, for $500; J. C. McNatt, for $400; H. W. Lilly, trustee of Mrs. E. L. Pemberton, deceased, and R. F. Gray, executor of Mrs. E. L. Pemberton, deceased, for $650; Geo. Brandt, for $3,000; G. W. Terrell, compromised and settled.

Much sympathy is expressed for those who will have to make good these sums.

Does this Mean a Bolt to the Republicans?

From the Galveston Daily News.

There can hardly be a question that, in view of the capture of the name and organic frame-work of the old Democratic party by the most radical enemies to its principles, the same thousands, East, North, South, and West, would conclude in the general vein of Senator Smith's conclusion that it were better even to take the chances measurable of misrule at the hands of the Republican party than to stay with the conditions moving with relentless steps to abysmal catastrophe in "the communism of the populists and Socialists."

Lumber Bridge News.

Mrs. Covington, of Rockingham, is visiting her sister, Mrs. McLeod.

Mrs. J. A. McNeill and Miss Lulu McLeod spent a pleasant day Monday in your city.

Mr. Wm. McLean was married in St. Paul's church last week to Miss Harrell, a sister of Rev. J. J. Harrell, formerly a missionary to Brazil. The ceremonies were performed by Rev. J. S. Black.

Rev. P. R. Law returned Monday from Shannon, where he had been conducting an interesting meeting of several days.

Misses Louine and Sadie Huske enjoyed several hours in your city last week.

The programme of the Lumber Bridge High School for May 17th, is as follows:

Hon. J. A. Lockhart, an eloquent and talented lawyer of Wadesboro, will speak at 11 A. M.

Prof. James Dinwiddie, President of Peace Institute, Raleigh, N. C., will speak at 3 P. M. (Prof. Dinwiddie is a Master of Arts of the University of Virginia and for several years was Professor of Mathematics in the University of Tennessee).

Declamations, recitations and music by the pupils will begin at 8 P. M.

It is not what its proprietors say, but what Hood's Sarsaparilla does that tells the story of its merit. Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures.

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Or you are all worn out, really good for nothing, it is general debility. Try
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It will cure you, cleanse your liver, and give a good appetite.

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PHILLIPS—On Sunday afternoon 8th of April, JAMES PHILLIPS in the 59th year of his age. For a number of years he was clerk to Geo. P. McNeill, Sr., in his famous store at the foot of Haymount. Afterwards he was Captain of one of the Cape Fear steamers and later conducted a mercantile business at Tar Heel. He moved to Fayetteville some ten years before his death. He was always a man of strict integrity.

The funeral services were conducted in the Presbyterian church of which he died a member.

ROBERTSON—Departed this life on the 24th of April, 1894, RICHARD P. ROBERTSON, son of James P. and Emily Evans Robertson. He was 34 years of age and leaves a wife and one child. He was buried in the Evans family burying-ground, the funeral services being conducted by Rev. A. J. McKelway, his pastor. Mr Robertson connected himself with the Presbyterian church less than a year ago and died in the full hope of a blessed immortality.

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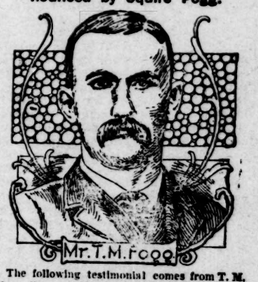

The following testimonial comes from T. M. Fogg, Esq., who is well-known throughout Kentucky as court justice and justice of the peace for Bath county. His words should invoke the confidence of all who read his letter:

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had been used my weight was 165 pounds. I owe all this to Hood's Sarsaparilla and I gladly recommend it to all sufferers." T. M. FOGG, Justice of the Peace, Sharpsburg, Kentucky.

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MESSRS. LIPPMAN BROS., Savannah, Ga.

DEAR SIRS—I would like to add my testimony to the almost miraculous effect of P. P. P. in the case of Mary Ingraham, a woman living on my place; she had a constant cough, sore throat, debility, etc., and was emaciated to a degree that she was unable to get out of bed unaided, being given up by physicians; she had taken the ruinous so-called blood Medicines without the least effect, until being put under the P. P. P., she immediately began to improve and is now in as good health as ever in her life. You can refer to me at any time as to the effect of P. P. P. in the foregoing case.

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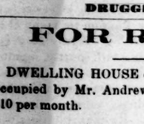
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NOTICE.
The undersigned has removed his
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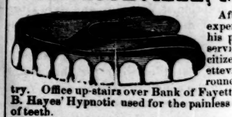
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TOWN AND COUNTY.

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WE CLOSE FOR THE SEASON.
F. M. SIMMONS—Libel Notice.
D. R. HUFFINES—Lager Beer, &c.
A. J. PEMBERTON & CO —Bicycles.
ROSE & LEAK—Standard Patterns.
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H. R. HORNE—Milk Shakes, Limades, &c.—see Specials.
HUSKE HARDWARE HOUSE—Fire Fly Hand Plow, Fishing Tackle, &c.

Rev. J. H. Edwards will preach the Commencement sermon at Thompson School, Siler City, May 27th.

The Supreme Court did not hand down its decision in the Fuller case Tuesday, as was said would be the case by a Raleigh dispatch of last week.

Col. Waddell.

"Our popular, accomplished and eloquent townsman, Col. Alfred M. Waddell," says the Wilmington Messenger, "is to deliver the memorial address at Kinston on 10th of May. A fine and elegant address may be well expected, for he can make one."

Attention Confederate Veterans.

Remember the meeting at 11 o'clock A. M., on Saturday, to perfect the organization of Camp Fayetteville No. 1, United Confederate Veterans, and to take steps for the proper observance of Memorial Day by all Cumberland Veterans and such others as may be in attendance then.

Proposed Short Line to Charlotte.

The Charlotte News says that the Seaboard Air Line will, as soon as the money tightness relaxes, build a line from Egypt to Charlotte. This will shorten the distance by rail between Fayetteville, or Raleigh, and Charlotte some 100 miles.

The contest for the OBSERVER'S splendid prize is becoming very exciting, several of the leading contestants are running a neck to neck race. Twenty-five per cent. discount will be given to those ordering twenty or more papers at a time, containing the coupon.

The Reading Club will meet next Monday evening at the residence of Mr. A. H. Slocomb. Subject: "The Last Days of Pompeii"; The Witch's Cave—Mr. Alexander; Scene in the Amphitheatre—Mr. Edwards; The Fleeing of the People—Prof. Myrover; Humorous Selection—Mrs. McKelway. The Program will be interspersed with music.

The Graded School.

At the recent meeting of the Trustees of the Graded School, it was

Resolved, That the Annual Meeting and election of Trustees shall be held on the 3d Monday in June next (18th), and that the Teachers for the next scholastic year, shall be elected on the following Wednesday—June 20th.

Mr. Lee Tolar, of Gray's Creek, accidentally shot himself Monday night. He was looking down the muzzle of a pistol which he supposed to be empty when it went off, sending a ball through his forehead. The bullet came out near the left ear. It is a very dangerous wound, but we hope it will not prove a fatal one.

Cumberland and the Davis Monument.

Col. E. D. Hall, while in Birmingham, says the Wilmington Messenger, turned over to Treasurer Ellyson $260, contributed mainly by the people of Wayne and Cumberland counties in aid of the plan to erect a monument to the memory of President Jefferson Davis. North Carolina's contribution so far amounts to about $1,500.

Democratic Municipal Candidates.

The following are the Democratic nominees for Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Fayetteville, at the election which takes place on Monday. There is at present no opposition to this ticket, and there is likely to be none:

For Mayor—W. S. Cook.

FOR ALDERMEN.

First Ward—W. H. Powell and Mike Powers.

Second Ward—A. B. Williams and B. R. Taylor.

Third Ward—D. A. McMillan and C. B. McMillan.

Fourth Ward—R. McMillan and James A. King.

Fifth Ward—A. A. McKethan and John Rodick.

Sixth Ward—W. F. Campbell and I. W. Clark.

Seventh Ward—J. E. Garrett and A. H. Watson.

The F. I. L. I.

The Ancient and Honorable Independent Company is in possession of its new arms and accoutrements, and so is in possession of itself again. This is cause for the deepest gratification on the part of the people, for it has exercised by its mere existence and prestige a powerful influence in behalf of the orderly government of Fayetteville, for nearly all of its century of life.

The guns received, fifty in number, are "improved Springfield rifles of 1873." As our readers know, they were purchased with a fund contributed by the veterans of the company, and some other well-wishers, not veterans, such as Gov. Holt Col. Green, Major Guthrie, &c.

The company has received an invitation from the Ladies Memorial Association of Raleigh, which they have accepted, to act as the special escort of the Home Veterans on the occasion of the laying of the corner-stone of the Confederate Monument in that city on the 22d instant.

Upon receipt of the arms, Major Vann addressed the following communication to his Excellency, the Governor, which speaks for itself:

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., April 30, 1894.

Elias Carr, Esq.,

Governor and Commander-in-Chief.

DEAR SIR:—The Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry would respectfully inform your Excellency, that it is now provided with arms and equipments of latest style, and is well prepared to obey any orders from Headquarters.

While it is our sincere hope that no occasion may ever arise to call us into active service, yet, if trouble of a serious nature should occur please remember that we are "Ready, aye Ready."

Very respectfully your ob't servant,

J. C. VANN,
Maj. Comd'g F. I. L. I.

Memorial Day.

Next Thursday is Memorial Day, a day on which we should all do honor to the dead heroes of the Confederacy. Let us all bear floral offerings and pay tribute at the graves of our brave ones who fought and died for their homes and their country. Let it not fall behind, but rather let it eclipse its twenty-nine predecessors in warmth of observance and loyalty to their memory. Mrs. A. A. McKethan, president, and Mrs. J. B. Smith, secretary of the Ladies Memorial Association, request us to publish the following programme for the 10th:

The different organizations will meet in front of the L. M. A. at 4 o'clock and be formed in the procession in the following order:

Chief Marshal—Maj. Geo. L. Hall and his assistants.
Chaplain—Rev. J. Hartwell Edwards.
Orator—Capt. H. L. Murphy.
F. I. L. I. Company.
L. M. A. Company and Band.
Other Organizations.

The Schools are requested to join the procession and bring their floral tributes.

All the merchants are requested to close their stores during the hours of the services.

The sextons of the different churches are requested to toll their bells while the procession is moving.

Mr. E. R. McKethan, one of Fayetteville's favorite sons dispersed abroad, and who has been connected with one of the largest law firms in Savannah, Ga., has formed a partnership with one of Savannah's leading lawyers. The firm is Nicolson and McKethan. Mr. McKethan who is here on a visit says Savannah is a beautiful and prosperous city with about 65,000 inhabitants, and thinks it has a great future before it. We wish the new firm unlimited success.

The skating season will be brought to a close by a brilliant carnival to-morrow night. The managers propose to make this the grandest and most picturesque entertainment the Fayetteville public has beheld in many years. It is for the benefit of the F. I. L. I. Company, as in fact all the former entertainments of this character have been, and should be liberally patronized. All persons desiring to skate should wear costumes as no one will be allowed on the floor who is not in fancy dress.

I. O. O. F. News.

At the last meeting of Cross Creek Lodge, No. 4, I. O. O. F., H. L. Cook, P. G., and H. R. Horne, P. G. and P. D. D. G. M., resigned as Representatives, and Alternate Representatives and B. C. Gorham, P. G. and P. C. P., and J. M. Lamb, P. G., were elected to fill the vacancy.

The public is invited to attend the meeting Monday night when the Lodge will be addressed by Hon. G. M. Rose, who is one of the finest orators in the State.

The "Big 6" Orchestra will discourse delightful music during the evening.

Court Again Next Week.

The May term of the Superior Court convenes in this city Monday. Judge Bryan will preside. It is a two weeks term, three days being set aside for criminal cases. The criminal docket is a very light one and can be easily disposed of in that time. This term will not be held in the new Court House as was expected, the interior not being completely furnished as yet. It is not desired to occupy the building until everything is in perfect order.

Death of Henry S. Frizelle.

We copy the following from a Roanoke, Va., paper:

Henry Frizelle, who has been ill for some time from a cancer on his neck, died last night, April 10th, at 10:30 o'clock of hemorrhage, at the residence of his father-in-law, O. H. Owen, No. 114 Church avenue. He was a carriage painter and a fine workman and was 53 years old. He was born in Fayetteville, N. C., of which city his father was once mayor. He resided for some years in Savannah, Ga., where he was a member of the Masonic fraternity and Red Men. He was a member of the Methodist church and was highly esteemed by all who knew him.

Mr. Frizelle was for a number of years a member of the Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry, and served in the Bethel campaign with the Company, and afterwards as a member of Starr's Battery.

Grand special sale of horses and mules at Norfolk, Va., on next Thursday the 10th inst. See advertisement in another column.

WARD NOMINATIONS.

The Ward Democratic nominations for Aldermen, &c., were held Monday night at the usual meeting places in the respective wards. There was very slight opposition to the present incumbents, and in only one or two instances were there any changes. The meetings were fairly well attended, but on account of the unanimity of sentiment no political excitement prevailed.

FIRST WARD.

The meeting was called to order by Mr. J. M. Byrd, who nominated Capt. L. A. Nixon for permanent chairman, who was elected by acclamation, but declined to serve. Mr. J. P. Parker was then nominated and elected to fill the chair. Mr. A. V. Maultsby was chosen secretary.

Mr. E. M. Waddill, in a very complimentary speech nominated Mr. W. H. Powell, of the upper end of the ward, and Mr. Mike Powers, of the lower end. The nominations were seconded by Mr. Byrd, who moved that the nominations be made by acclamation. This not being agreed to, the nominations were put before the house and carried.

Speeches were made by Messrs. Waddill and Byrd.

A. V. Maultsby offered the following resolution which was adopted unanimously:

Resolved, By the citizens of the First Ward in meeting assembled that the administration of W. S. Cook as Mayor, has been acceptable to us, and we recommend his renomination by the general convention to be held at the City Hall, Wednesday night, May 2nd, 1894.

Resolved, That we also recommend J. D. McNeill, D. H. Ray and S. C. Rankin for re-election as the board of audit and finance.

SECOND WARD.

The Democrats of this Ward met in the Flour Warehouse. Mr H. I. McDuffie stated the purpose of the meeting, and nominated Dr. Jas. W. McNeill for chairman, and Mr. Q. K. Nimocks for secretary. Both gentlemen were elected and and took their seats.

Nominations for Aldermen being in order, the names of Capt. A. B. Williams and B. R. Taylor, Esq., were placed before the meeting and unanimously nominated. Mr. H. I. McDuffie was recommended as member of the Democratic Executive Committee for Second Ward.

The following resolutions were read by Mr. C. J. Ahearn and approved by the meeting.

Resolved, That the citizens of the Second Ward desire to express their satisfaction with the administration of their fellow-citizen W. S. Cook as Mayor, and recommend his renomination at the convention to be held May 2nd, 1894. We also recommend for renomination J. D. McNeill, D. H. Ray and S. C. Rankin as the board of audit and finance.

THIRD WARD.

The citizens of this Ward met at the Town Hall, at 8 P. M. Mr. H. L. Cook was called to the chair, and Mr. D. McD. Grady was chosen secretary. On motion of Mr. Colin McRae, the present Aldermen, Messrs. D. A. and C. B. McMillan, were nominated by acclamation. Mr. G. A. Burns was elected as member of the Executive Committee from this ward.

The following resolutions were offered by D. McD. Grady, which were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we the citizens of the Third Ward in convention assembled desire to express our entire satisfaction with the administration of W. S. Cook as Mayor, and recommend his renomination by the convention to be held Wednesday night, May 2nd, 1894. We also recommend for renomination J. D. McNeill, D. H. Ray and S. C. Rankin as the board of audit and finance.

FOURTH WARD.

The citizens of the fourth ward met in the building formerly used as offices by the C. F. & Y. V. Railroad. Mr. J. B. Troy was elected Chairman and Mr. Ed. Smith Secretary. Col. J. A. Pemberton placed in nomination the present incumbents, Messrs. R. McMillan and Jas. A. King and they received the unanimous vote of the convention. Mr. Ed. C. Smith was chosen by the meeting as member of the Executive Committee from fourth ward. Col. J. A. Pemberton offered a resolution requesting our aldermen to use every effort to have the city lighted by electricity if reasonable arrangements can be made, but if not to adopt some other mode of lights. The resolution was unanimously endorsed by the convention.

It was further

Resolved, That the administration of the city affairs by W. S. Cook, Mayor, for the past year has been acceptable to us, we therefore recommend his renomination by the convention to be held Wednesday, May 2nd, '94. We also express our full approval of the board of audit and finance: J. D. McNeill, D. H. Ray and S. C. Rankin, and recommend their renomination.

FIFTH WARD.

The Democrats of this Ward met in the office of Mr. A. A. McKethan's carriage works. Mr. G. G. Myrover was selected as chairman, and Mr. Hector McGeachy was chosen secretary. Maj. A. A. McKethan, by acclamation, and Mr. John Rodick, by a good majority, were nominated for Aldermen. Capt. R. O. Whitaker was elected member of Democratic Executive Committee.

The following resolution was read and approved:

Resolved, That we the citizens of the Fifth Ward in convention assembled this the 30th day, of April, 1894, do approve and endorse the official administration of W. S. Cook as Mayor, and believe that we hazard nothing in saying his administration has given entire satisfaction.

SIXTH WARD.

The sixth ward democrats met in the Court House at 8:30 p. m., Maj. E. J. Hale was called to the chair and Mr. C. L. Campbell was made Secretary. Mr. Jno. T. McKay placed in nomination the names of Maj. W. F. Campbell and I. W. Clark, Esq., for aldermen which were seconded by H. McD. Robinson, Esq., in a very complimentary speech. It was decided to vote by ballot, which was accordingly done, Mr. H. R. Horne, and Maj. Geo. H. Hall being appointed by the chair to take the vote. The vote stood 34 for Campbell, 34 for Clark. There being no scattering votes the above two gentlemen were declared the unanimous choice of the convention. Mr. B. F. Beasley was renominated Democratic Executive Committeeman from this ward. Mr. D. H. Ray was heartily endorsed by the convention for renomination as a member of the city finance committee. A resolution was offered and adopted endorsing Mayor W. S. Cook for renomination.

SEVENTH WARD.

The primary convention of the Seventh ward was called to order in the Court House at 8:30 p. m., and on motion, Capt. D. Jones was requested to act as Chairman, and Mr. C. M. Watson was elected Secretary.

The Chairman then stated that this convention was called for the purpose of Selecting two Aldermen and a Mayor and a Board of Audit and Finance.

The following gentlemen were put in nomination: J. E. Garrett, Jno. A. Pemberton and A. H. Watson.

A ballot was taken with the following results: J. E. Garrett and A. H. Watson were declared elected as the nominees.

Capt. Dave Jones was elected a member of the Executive Committee.

The following resolutions were offered by J. E. Garrett:

Resolved, That the administration of W. S. Cook as Mayor, has given us satisfaction, we therefore recommend his renomination at the convention to be held May 2nd, 1894. We also recommend the renomination of Messrs. J. D. McNeill, D. H. Ray and S. C. Rankin as the board of audit and finance.

Special Rates on the C. F. & Y. V.

The Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Railroad will sell round trip tickets to Durham on account of the North Carolina Dental Association.

Tickets to be sold April 28th to May 1st inclusive; final limit, May 5th, continuous passage in each direction. The following rates will apply from competitive points: Fayetteville, $5.25; Greensboro, 2.75; Maxton, 6.95; Rural Hall, 4.65; Sanford, 3.75; Wilmington, 7.70.

The Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Railroad will sell round trip tickets to Charlotte on account of the annual meeting of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, at the following rates. Tickets to be sold May 6th, 7th and 8th, final limit May 13th: Fayetteville, $6.65; Greensboro, 4.45; Maxton, 4.65; Rural Hall, 6.05; Sanford, 6.05; Wilmingtor, 7.75.

The Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Railroad will sell round trip tickets to Raleigh on account of the Grand Council Royal Arcanum at the following rates: Fayettevill, $4.00; Greensboro, 4.05; Maxton, 5.45; Rural Hall, 5.65; Sanford, 2.25; Wilmington, 6.55.

Tickets to be sold April 30th and May 1st and 2nd; final limit, May 7th 1894.

The Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Railroad will also sell round trip tickets to Memphis, Tenn., on account of the meeting of the Quadrennial General Conference of the M. E. Church (South) for one first class fare. Tickets on sale April 30th and May 1st and 2nd; final limit June 1st 1894.

On account of the Southern Baptist Convention the C. F. & Y. V. Railroad will sell round trip tickets to Dallas, Texas, for one first class fare from May 7th to 9th; final limit 30 days from date of sale.

Closing Notes of the Special term.

The special term of Cumberland County Superior Court having disposed of numerous important cases, adjourned last Saturday. The case against Ed. Blackman for highway robbery was continued to the May Term.

In the Starling murder trial the arguments were concluded and the case given to the jury Thursday evening. After staying out all night, the jury returned a verdict of not guilty Friday morning.

The case against King Underwood and Sim Gilmore charged with the attempted murder and highway robbery of James Jackson over the river last March and which created great excitement at the time, an account of which appeared in this paper, was also disposed of. The case was vigorously prosecuted and ably defended. The jury after being locked up in the Court House all night returned a verdict next morning of not guilty.

Mr. T. G. Hall, who cut Mr. Juo Averett so severely about a year ago, and whose case had been continued from term to term was also acquitted. The fight took place on the East side of the river and Averett's life was despaired of for a long time, but we believe he is now in good health.

Sheriff Smith left Monday for Raleigh with two convicts for the penitentiary. One of them was Wm. Smith sentenced for twenty years for killing Bunn Burkett, and the other C. S. Murphy five years for forgery.

Oak Ridge Institute Commencement.

Oak Ridge Institute Commencement promises to be one of unusual interest this year. It occurs May 23d and 24th. Rev. T. J. Ogburn will preach the annual sermon at 11 a. m. May 23rd. Annual concert at night. Hon. George Sam Bradshaw, of Ashboro, will deliver the literary address before the students May 24. The following are the marshals and managers: Chief Marshal, O. A. Betts, Raleigh. Sub Marshals, Geo E. Davis, Martinsville, Va.; Geo. T. Stronach, Raleigh; L. A. Myers, Winston; C. G. Barker, Virginia; E. B. King, Leaksville; J. C. Gray, Statesvlle; W. H. Hicks, Darlington. S. C.; E. M. Rowe, Bennettsville, S. C.

Chief manager, P. H. Barker, Axton, Va. Sub Managers, J. D. Edwards, Goldsboro; E. L. Morrison, Concord; G. A. Rosser, Danville, Va.; W. A. Shore, Bethania; T, B. Wall, Wadesboro; C. O. Bass, Wilson; A. W. Troxlar, Brown's Summit; W. O. Donnell, Jr., Oak Ridge, N. C.

People and their Movements.

Mr. Banks Rucker, of Richmond, spent Sunday in the city.

Mr. Gustave Ree, General Manager of the Gulf Railroad, is in the city.

Hon. C. B. Aycock, U. S. District Attorney, attended Cumberland County Superior Court on official business last week.

Miss Foulks, of California, and Miss Boag, of New York, are to arrive in a few days to visit the family of Capt. W. E. Kyle on Haymount.

Mrs. and Miss Finney, of Richmond, Va., spent a few days at the Hotel LaFayette last week with Col. Finney of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Mr. C. A. Hines and brother, who for some time conducted the candy shop in the tent on Hay St., have returned to their home in Sampson county.

Miss Lizzie Peck, of Wilmington, who has been visiting Miss Beck Haigh on Haymount has returned home much to the regret of the numerous friends she made while here.

Dr. H. W. Lilly, President, and Col. C. W. Broadfoot, Attorney of the Bank of Fayetteville, attended the sale of the cotton mill, &c. in Mt. Airy Tuesday in which the Bank is interested.

Mr. Douglas Haigh, who is with the consolidated Rock Plaster Company of Columbus, Ohio, a branch of the corporation of which his brother, Mr. DeLaguel Haigh of New York, is president, is at home on a visit.

The Observer Prize.

To the Teacher (Sunday school as well as other) in Cumberland, Sampson, Robeson, Moore, Harnett, Duplin and Bladen receiving the greatest number of votes by August 1st, we will give a $65.00 New Home Sewing Machine.

Each person can vote as often as he pleases provided he uses the coupon below:

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The Missing Word Contest.

Those of our readers who are keeping up with the prizes of the Atlanta Constitution are reminded that a new sentence opens for each month. The following is the sentence for the contest for the month of May:

The five hundred pounds of gold which he had received in exchange for his treasure had been conveyed to the hiding place in the ..... field.

One-fourth of the net subscription receipts of those entering this contest will be divided among those who supply the correct word in the blank in the above sentence. Thus, if there are $5,000, one-fourth would be $1,200. If ten supply the correct word each would receive $125, if 100, each $12.50, &c.

All subscribers to the Constitution are allowed to guess the missing word, besides a guess at the cotton crop.

For full particulars of this contest see advertisement on our fourth page.

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Merit Should be Rewarded.

Recently in our quiet city, there was a bold robbery committed, when several pieces of clothing were taken from an old colored woman. The matter was passed unnoticed for some days, when one of our uptown police took the matter in hand, and in a very short time the goods were recovered and restored, and the criminals captured and imprisoned to await trial at the next term of the Superior court. This was accomplished by that clever official, Mr. J. H. Benton.

An Old Friend.

Editor Fayetteville Observer:

DEAR SIR:—I never have written any thing for publication, yet I hope you will find space in your paper to jot down the following: I am glad to say I have been spared to see the old town of Fayetteville once more; to see and talk with old friends and relatives. It was my home until I was twenty-four years old. I am now forty-one. I am happy to see the improvement of the old town, still, a feeling of sadness creeps over me when I look around and miss so many faces, dear old faces, that were here when I left. After a pleasant visit I am now about to make my exit from the dear old town, and "hie me back" to Georgia among the wire-grass and turpentine, but wish to return again sooner than I did before, hoping I shall again see the same faces I leave behind. So good bye, may God bless the dear old town.

J. W. POWELL.

Rough Bicycle Test.

"Mr Geo. Fitzsimmons, accompanied by Mr. J. C. Wood, of the Gormully & Jeffery Manufacturing Company, of Washington, D. C., rode from this city to High Point, yesterday, and back, a distance of thirty miles over the R. & D. R. R. The ride was made to test a new bicycle of very light weight. The machine stood the rough jolting over the ties and trestles without a scratch."

The above was taken from the Greensboro Record. Mr. Fitzsimmons has sold nearly 25 Ramblers this season, and has ordered a new No. 9 Rambler Racer. The wheel above referred to was a 26 pound Rambler, No. 8. Do you ride a Rambler?

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May 3, 1894—2t

Libel Notice.

The following articles of personal property were seized in this, the Fourth District of North Carolina, at times and places named below:

The sections violated are named in each case.

Fayetteville, N. C.,
March 21, 1894.

One cask corn whiskey about 3 gallons. William McKay claimant. R. S., Sec. 3452.

March 22, 1894.

One cask apple brandy and seven casks corn whiskey, two empty stamp packages. J. R. Hall supposed claimant. R. S., Sec. 3453, 3324.

March 23, 1894.

One keg apple brandy, about 12 gallons. Frank S. Maultsby claimant. R. S., Sec. 3257.

Two casks corn whiskey, about 90 gallons. J. E. Myers claimant. R. S., Sec. 3257, 3326.

One cask apple brandy and one cask peach brandy, about 85 gallons. James Fowler claimant. R. S., Sec. 3326, 3257.

March 26, 1894.

One cask corn whiskey, 40 gallons. Eli Shores claimant. R. S. Sec 3257, 3453.

Dunn, N. C.,
April 5, 1894.

One copper still worm and cap. Julius W. Jones claimant. R. S, Sec 3 57.

Harnett County,
April 30, 1894.

Seven casks corn whiskey, marked to contain 250 gallons, with considerable wastage, one empty cask with stamp undefaced, supposed claimants Rosser and Trulove. R. S., Sec. 3256, 3259, 3324, &c.

Any person claiming any interest in said property should appear before me within 30 days from date of this Libel and show cause why said property should not be forfeited to the United States.

Given under my hand and seal at Raleigh, N. C., this 1st day of May, 1894.

F. M. SIMMONS,
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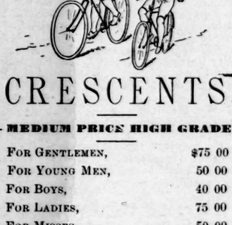

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The Coxey Movement.

It is only since the war, with the threatened rise of plutocracy upon the ruins of democracy which characterizes the times, that we have known the curse of troups. Following the example of all the other classes, these have at last organized, and we are confronted now with the curious movement put afield by "General" Coxey. As the Federal Capital is approached, the local authorities there have considered the movement serious enough to take the action described in the following press despatch of Monday's date:

After a conference to-day with Mr. S. T. Thomas, the Attorney for the District, and Col. Moore, the Chief of Police of Washington, the District Commissioners issued the following proclamation:

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

WHEREAS, It is reported that several organized bodies of men are approaching the District of Columbia with the avowed purpose of securing such Congressional action as will relieve the condition of unemployed laborers throughout the country; and, whereas, all unemployed men and others throughout the country who may be in sympathy with the movement have been invited to assemble in front of the National Capitol on the first of May proximo, for the purpose of compelling favorable action by Congress, by mere force of numbers and physical presence, and

WHEREAS, The constitutional right of petition does not justify methods dangerous to peace and good order, which threaten the quiet of the National Capital, which are contrary to law and opposed to the ordinary means of obtaining legislative relief under our system of government, and

WHEREAS, It is declared to be the intention of this body of unemployed and destitute people, not only to gather together for the purpose aforesaid at the City of Washington, but there to remain until their mission shall have been accomplished; and

WHEREAS, The National Capital is chiefly devoted to public business and is the centre of Federal legislation, and as a result its lack of ordinary means of offording employment is now taxed to its utmost capacity in charitable efforts to care for its own poor and unemployed.

Now, therefore, the Commissioners of the District of Columbia, who are charged with the duty of maintaining peace and good order, and with enforcing the laws in said District, being sensible of the gravity of the situation, and fully appreciating the hardship which must come upon many innocent but misguided people if this ill-considered movement should be continued, do hereby appeal in the interest of humanity and in furtherance of the peace and good order which are enjoined by the laws in force in said District, to the good sense and patriotism of all those engaged in, or who contemplate taking any part in the proposed demonstration, and urge them to reconsider their intention to come into the District of Columbia for that purpose. No possible good can come of such a gathering, and with no proper preparation or means of subsistance, suffering and ultimate disorder will certainly ensue. No wrong can be righted, no condition of labor ameliorated, no remedy for any existing evil realized by the contemplated demonstration of physical force. Every desirable end can be more certainly and effectively accomplished by orderly and lawful methods.

The commissioners, while in entire sympathy with all people out of employment and having no desire or purpose to deal harshly with unfortunate but honest men who seek relief by reasonable or lawful means, are in duty bound to give notice to those who are tempted under any pretext to swell the number of unemployed persons already here, that there is neither work for them nor means for their maintenance in the District; that the law does not permit the soliciting of alms in our streets, and forbids parades, assemblages or orations in the Capitol grounds, and the obstruction of any public grounds, streets, highways or avenues and the approaches to public or private buildings.

The Commissioners give notice also to criminals and evil doers who, under cover of a crowd of unemployed men in our streets, may come here for the purpose of crime and disorder, that all such will be apprehended and summarily dealt with.

And, finally, they give notice to all who come here against their advice and protest, that the laws in force in the District of Columbia are adequate for every emergency, and will be rigidly enforced.

The commissioners have acquainted themselves fully with all the local laws which have reference to a movement similar to that of Coxeys' army. It is understood that they have decided that the army can by treated as vagrants.

A special dispatch from Chicago says: From all over the West comes news that the crusade of the "Industrials" is spreading. Over a dozen armies are now in the field. In all the towns companies are rapidly being formed. The armies, detachments and divisions now in the field in the West are: General Kelly, 1,000 men, Neola, Ia.; General Frye, 1,000, Terre Haute, Ind.; General Frye's second division, 800 men, McLeansboro, Ill.; General Grayson, 100 men Plattville, Col.; General Galvin, 200 men, Loveland, O.; Sergeant Randall, 500 men, Chicago; 100 men at Little Falls, Minn.; 300 men at Butte, Mont.; 100 men at Monmouth, Ill.; 100 men at Ottumwa, Ia.; Capt Sullivan, 1,000 men, Chicago; 150 men at Anderson, Ind., and General Aubrey, 700 men, Indianapolis. Besides these armies large numbers of recruits are pushing forward to the various lines of march with the intention of joining the larger bodies.

A Western Mining Camp.

The newest of Western mining camps, the Cochiti camp in New Mexico, lies near the ancient Indian village of that name on the west bank of the Rio Grande, southwest from Santa Fe. The mines lie in ledges which cross at right angles the walls of three canons, the Cochiti, the Pino and the Peralta. Some of the ores already taken out here are very rich, and if the claims as to their abundance are verified in the continued working, Cochiti will prove one of the great gold bearing districts of the United States. At the mouth of the Pino the central canon of the three, the humming, brand new town of Alierton is situated. Two smaller town sites, Kent City and Eagle, have been laid off, about six miles to the east and to the west respectively. A few frame and more log houses are interspersed among the tents which constitute the greater part of the residence and business structures of the camp in which about 2,000 people abide. Saloons and gambling and dance houses are plentiful and busy, and even the "old timber," with memories of Deadwood and Leadville, admits that the Cochiti has generally the symptoms of a booming camp.

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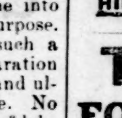

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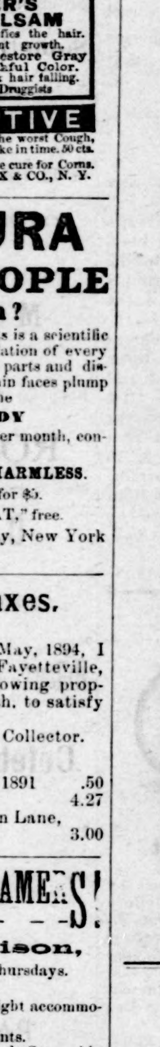

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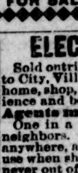

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Leave Fayetteville Junction,	10:30 "
Leave Sanford,	11:48 "
Leave Climax,	1:43 p. m.
Arrive Greensboro,	2:15 "
Leave Greensboro,	2:55 "
Leave Stokesdale,	3:48 "
Arrive Walnut Cove,	4:20 "
Leave Walnut Cove,	4:33 "
Leave Rural Hall,	5:01 "
Arrive Mt. Airy,	6:25 "

SOUTH BOUND.	No. 1, Daily Except Sunday.
Leave Mt. Airy,	9:45 a. m
Leave Rural Hall,	11:06 "
Arrive Walnut Cove,	11:35 "
Leave Walnut Cove,	11:42 "
Leave Stokesdale,	12:06 p. m.
Arrive Greensboro,	12:52 "
Leave Greensboro,	12:59 "
Leave Climax,	1:27 "
Leave Sanford,	3:12 "
Arrive Fayetteville Junction,	4:25 "
Arrive Fayetteville,	4:30 "
Leave Fayetteville,	4:45 "
Arrive Wilmington,	7:55 "

NORTH BOUND.	No. 4, Daily Except Sunday.
Leave Bennettsville,	6:25 a. m.
Leave Maxton,	7:37 "
Leave Red Springs,	8:17 "
Leave Hope Mills,	9:12 "
Arrive Fayetteville,	9:35 "

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Leave Fayetteville,	4:50 p. m.
Leave Hope Mills,	5:13 "
Leave Red Springs,	6:08 "
Leave Maxton,	6:47 "
Arrive Bennettsville,	8:00 "

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Leave Ramseur,	6:50 a. m.
Leave Climax,	8:40 "
Arrive Greensboro,	9:25 "
Leave Greensboro,	9:40 "
Leave Stokesdale,	11:00 "
Arrive Madison	11:50 "

SOUTH BOUND.	No. 15, Mixed, Daily Except Sunday.
Leave Madison,	12:30 p. m
Leave Stokesdale,	1:05 "
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Leave Greensboro,	3:00 "
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DATED Jan. 11, 1894.	No. 23, Daily.	No. 35, Daily.	No. 41, Daily.	*No. 501, N. Y. and Fla. Spec.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.
Leave Weldon..	11 47	9 51		12 02
Ar. Rocky Mount	12 55	10 45		
Arrive Tarboro..	2 35			
Leave Tarboro..	12 07			
Lv Rocky Mount	12 55	10 45	6 00	
Leave Wilson...	1 55	11 25		1 57
Leave Selma....	2 45			
Lv. Fayetteville	4 25	1 15		4 00
Arrive Florence	7 05	3 27		6 15

	No. 47, Daily.	
	P. M.	A. M.
Leave Wilson..	2 05	6 35
Leave Goldboro.	3 00	7 20
Leave Magnolia.	4 13	8 29
Ar. Wilmington.	5 50	10 60
	P. M.	A. M.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

DATED Jan. 11, 1894.	No. 78, Daily.	No. 14, Daily.	No. 40, Daily.	‡No. 500, N. Y. and Fla. Spec.
	A. M.	P. M.		P. M.
Leave Florence	7 30	7 05		11 59
Lv. Fayetteville	10 27	9 20		2 23
Leave Selma....	12 10			
Arrive Wilson..	1 5	11 18		4 30

	No. 48, Daily.	
	A. M.	P. M.
Lv Wilmington.	9 00	7 00
Leave Magnolia	10 40	8 37
Leave Goldsboro	12 00	9 48
Arrive Wilson..	12 45	10 35

	No. 78 Daily.	No. 14 Daily.	
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Leave Wilson...	1 15	11 23	10 40
Ar Rocky Mount	2 07	12 05	11 25
Arrive Tarboro.	2 35		
Leave Tarboro..	12 54		
Lv Rocky Mount	2 07	12 05	
Arrive Weldon..	3 17	12 56	6 01
	P. M.	A. M. P. M.	A. M.

†Daily except Monday ‡Daily except Sunday.

*These trains carry only first-class passengers holding Pullman accommodations.

Train on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leaves Weldon 3:40 P M, Halifax 4:00 P M, arrive Scotland Neck at 4:55 P M, Greenville 6:37 P M, Kinston 7:35 P M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7:20 A M, Greenville 8:22 A M. Arriving Halifax at 11:00 A M. Weldon 11.20 A M, daily except Sunday.

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Train on Midland N C Branch leaves Goldsboro daily except Sunday, 6:05 A M, arriving Smithfield 7:30 A M. Returning, leaves Smithfield 8:00 A M; arrive Goldsboro 9:30 A M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 4:30 P M, arrives Nashville 5:05 P M, Spring Hope 5:30 P M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 8:00 A M, Nashville 8:35 A M, arrive Rocky Mount 9:15 A M, daily, except Sunday.

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1881,	6 589,329	1889,	6,935,082
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